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For: APPARATUS FOR FABRICATING )  
    PLASMA DISPLAY PANEL AND )  
    METHOD OF FABRICATING THE )  
    SAME                      )

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT IN RCE**

Concurrently filed herein with a Request for Continued Examination and prior to continued examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows. This filing is in response to the Final Office Action dated December 21, 2007, the period for response to which extends through May 21, 2008 by the concurrently-filed petition for a two-month extension of time and corresponding fee payment. This filing is also in response to the Advisory Action dated April 2, 2008.